

I am concerned that the proposed expansion of LPFM service will result in the loss of a local radio station that is valuable to my community. Locally in Ashland/Medford, OR we are served by K-LOVE radio on 88.7 and 96.5 FM. This is a family-friendly broadcast. It would be a great loss to have it replaced by some other type of programming that is not suitable for my family's listening and the rest of the families in our area.

Our hope is that we can retain the service of our FM translator stations and that the proposed LPFM stations would not take priority over programming already benefitting our local community.

Even if our local area is not affected, others may be. Losing K-LOVE would be a great loss to any local community, as it is certainly in the public interest to have positive programming that is suitable for all radio listeners, including children and youth.

Expanding LPFM may be fine, but forcing valuable programming off the air in the process is not OK. LPFM programming should not be given priority over already-established, positive, family-friendly programming.